

Hudson and Berkshire Railroad up to the 1st of September. This company have a capital of \$400,000. The road is 32 miles long, and cost \$50,000.

From the opening of the road, in April to 1st June, 1844, \$4,944.51
For the month of June 2,404.94
Do July 9,078.08
Do August 3,867.13

Total \$12,785.06

From opening, April, to 1st June, 1844, \$6,209.64
For the month of June 3,237.77
Do July 3,086.17
Do August 3,181.99-17,805.47

Excess in favor of 1844. \$6,920.41

The annexed table shows the quantity of hemp imported into the United States from foreign countries, and also the yearly decline in the quantity and value of the article received.

IMPORTED INTO THE UNITED STATES.
Where from. Tons. 1841. 1842. 1843.
Russia, cut. 66,675 32,326 31,828
Prussia. 225 — —
England. 4,656 3,200 1,151
Manila. 1,886 — —
Italy. 436 1,641 1,112
Tunis. 2,324 2,342 2,364
Chili. 266 — —
Hawaii. 1 47 —
Holland. — 256 —
Cwt. 72,962 39,735 28,806
Value. \$56,000 26,700 22,000

The importation of hemp into the United States is annually decreasing, and the home consumption increasing.

The cultivation is carried on in the Western country very extensively, and in that section of the country the consumption is very large. It is estimated that 20,000 tons are manufactured in the State of Kentucky, as follows:—

Made into Bagging. 14,000 tons
Made into Rope. 4,500 tons
Made into Sail Duck, Twine, &c. 1,000 tons—20,000 tons

The amount produced in the United States for the past three years, has been very large. The returns include flax and hemp, as follows:—

FLAX AND HEMP PRODUCED IN THE UNITED STATES.
1841. 1842. 1843.
Tons. 93,203 188,609 161,007

At this rate of increase we shall soon be able to supply the demand for our home consumption and supply any foreign demand that may arise. We are not able to tell what portion of this quantity of flax and hemp raised is one or the other, as the commissioners of patents in his report has included both articles under the same head.—In two years we find that our imports of hemp have fallen off fifty per cent, and from present appearances we should judge in two years more it would fall off the other fifty.

OLD STOCK EXCHANGE.

\$2,000 Ohio Co., '99 10 shas Canton Co.

1000 New York Co., '99 10 shas Canton Co.

4,000 Kentucky Co.'s 10 shas Canton Co.

2,000 Illinois, spec. shds 10 shas Canton Co.

2,000 Tex. '98, 10 shas Canton Co.

5,000 Ind. '98, 10 shas Canton Co.

75 Illinois Co. 25 Harlan RR.

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25 do do 10 shas Canton Co.

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